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Dear

In my research and teaching of water resources policy, I have become interested in Soviet developments in this field. Would you be able to direct me to materials on this subject?

Specifically, I am interested in the way in which they evaluate alternative water resource development projects. This involves the assigning of priorities which, of course, can become quite involved and information may not be available. However, I would like to be able to compare the methods used in a planned economy with our own procedure which is used in a "mixed" economy.

I would also appreciate being directed to any descriptive studies which may be available on the types of water development projects that have been developed or that are in the process of being developed.

Any help you can give will be very much appreciated. I enjoyed meeting you when you were here last October as well as the pleasant luncheon.

Sincerely yours,

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Professor.

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